

July 25, 2007

**MARION COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
LOCAL/STATE BOARD FACILITIES HEARING REPORT**

A Local public hearing was held at the Marion County Board Office on April 25, 2007, at 5:40 p.m. (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Marion County Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 11-0 in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted 5-0 to approve the new plan.

There were ( 4 ) four individuals in attendance. Charles L. Hamilton, Finance Director, served as the district-appointed hearing officer. Roger L. Marcum, Superintendent; Steven Lega, Lebanon Enterprise News Editor; and Alexis George, community member were present.

**COMMENTS**

Mr. Hamilton called the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. It was also noted that all considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan that includes: **the renovation/addition at Calvary Elementary School, renovations to Lebanon Elementary, renovation and additions to the Area Technology Center, renovation and additions to the High School, and some discretionary renovations to West Marion Elementary, Board Office, Bus Garage and Ray House.**

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No persons made any statement concerning the facilities plan.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

It is recommended that the new District Facility Plan developed by the Marion County Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Marion County Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Marion County School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Reviewed by;

*Charles L. Hamilton*

Charles L. Hamilton, Hearing Officer

Timothy K. Lucas, KDE Fac. Mgmt.

cc: Mark W. Ryles, Director  
Planning File

Attachments: Marion Co. School District Facility Plan